IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS TEXARKANA DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

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CASE NO. 5:19-CR-25

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TIMOTHY ARMSTRONG (7)

ORDER ADOPTING THE REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION OF THE UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE

The above-styled matter was referred to the Honorable Caroline Craven, United States Magistrate Judge, for administration of a guilty plea under Rule 11 of the Federal Rules of Criminal Procedure. Judge Craven conducted a hearing in the form and manner prescribed by Federal Rule of Criminal Procedure 11 and issued a Report and Recommendation (document #681). Judge Craven recommended that the Court accept Defendant's guilty plea and conditionally approve the plea agreement. She further recommended that the Court finally adjudge Defendant as guilty of Count 1 of the Indictment, which charges a violation of 18 U.S.C. § 371, conspiracy to commit illegal remunerations. The Court is of the opinion that the Report and Recommendation should be accepted. It is accordingly **ORDERED** that the Report and Recommendation of the United States Magistrate Judge (document #681) is **ADOPTED**. It is further

ORDERED that the Defendant's guilty plea is accepted and approved by the Court. Further, the plea agreement is approved by the Court. It is finally

ORDERED that, pursuant to the Defendant's plea agreement, the Court finds the Defendant **GUILTY** of Count 1 of the Indictment in the above-numbered cause and enters a

JUDGMENT OF GUILTY against the Defendant as to Count 1 of the Indictment.

So ORDERED and SIGNED this 24th day of March, 2022.

Robert W. SCHROEDER III

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE